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for the District of Oregon, ss —In Bankruptcy —In

matter of W W Francis and W A Buchanan,

Bankrupts —United States of America, District of Ore-

gon, ss —A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by

Court against the estate of W W Francis and W

Buchanan of the county of Multnomah and State of

Oregon in said District who have been duly adjudged

bankrupts upon the petition of their creditors and that

payment of any debts and the delivery of any property

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the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by

law A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts to

prove their debts and choose one more assignees of their

estate, will be held at the Court Room in the City of Port-

land in said District, on the 7th day of December,

A D 1872, at one o'clock, P M, at the office of J

Henderson, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of

said District THOMAS H YOUNG

U S Marshal for said District, as Messenger

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Fitzgerald, Bankrupt —In Bankruptcy —Notice is

hereby given that a second general meeting of the credit-

ors of said bankrupt will be held at the city of Portland, in

said District, on the 5th day of December, A D 1872 at 10

o'clock, A M, at the office of J J Henderson Esq

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mentioned in the twenty-seventh section of the Bankrupt

Act of March 2, 1867 JOSEPH BACHMAN

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THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

for the District of Oregon, ss —In the matter of Jos.

Bell, bankrupt —In Bankruptcy —Notice is hereby given

that a second general meeting of the creditors of

said bankrupt will be held at the city of Portland, in

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mentioned in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of March

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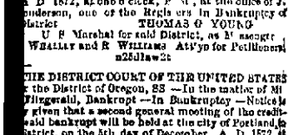

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The party was made up of Clarence King, who most generously consented to accompany the expedition, and Henry Janin, who had previously visited the ground and reported on its value, John W Best, ex Surveyor General of this State, and L M Fry the last two gentlemen having been on the ground with what is known as the Roberts party

We proceeded by rail to Black Butte Station, on the Union Pacific Railroad, in Wyoming Territory, there taking riding animals we reached the ground on the 18th it being in the Territory of Colorado, in a due south direction from Black Butte Station, and not to exceed fifty miles therefrom The locality is perfectly easy of access in good weather being situated on high table land, on the north side of a pine clad mountain, plain to be seen in three hours' ride from our starting point

As all the gentlemen with me were familiar with the ground, we lost no time, and at once proceeded to prospect the property At the head of what was designated on Janin's map and report as Ruby Gulch, I found a bare, solid table of sandstone about 320 feet long by 150 feet wide, cut up more or less by crevices, most of them emptying into Ruby Gulch, which runs parallel with the west face of the rock. On this table, as I am informed by Best and Fry, the Roberts party found the diamonds they brought to your company

At the head of Ruby Gulch, and close by the edge of the rock, Janin pointed to the places where most of the dirt was taken, from which were washed the large number of diamonds and rubies taken by General Dodge, Janin, Harpending and Arnold to New York, and afterwards brought to San Francisco.

We proceeded at once to test the dirt in Ruby Gulch, and after making fifty six different tests of the most thorough and careful nature from surface to bedrock, the day closed on us without our having found a diamond or ruby outside the limits of the bare rock first described, whereas, on the Table Rock, visible to the naked eye, were many small rubies and a few small, worthless diamonds which had been overlooked by previous parties

The second day General Best and Fry devoted their time to various tests of the property particularly in opening on this rock two crevices which showed unmistakable evidences of not having been tampered with The result was they found no diamonds or rubies there or elsewhere during the whole day, outside the previously described points where the first stones were found

This is an extract from the report of Clarence King, United States Geologist

Our first day was devoted to the sands on the table rock, at the head of Ruby Gulch, where about all the stones collected by your parties have been gathered, and had our critical work ended with the close of this one day, we should have left the ground confident believers in the genuineness and value of the fields My suspicions were, however, aroused early in the second day's work, and I at once determined to make an exhaustive series of "prospects," of which the following are the results

First—A nearly uniform numerical ratio exists between the rubies and diamonds.

Second—The gems, in nine cases out of ten, lie directly upon the hard surface of rock or an indurated crust of soil. In the exceptional case, where I found them in crevices, there was always ample evidence that the sand or soil had been disturbed and broken up within a year

Third—With the diamonds and rubies occur quartz pebbles of various sizes, and concretions of iron oxyde containing crystalline particles of quartz which are found freely mingled with the soil from surface and bed rock, hence if the gems were a natural deposit, being of a specific gravity intermediate between the quartz and iron concretions, they must have also settled through the earth to the bedrock I therefore selected ground on and immediately about Table Rock, where the top was more or less strewn with the so-called rubies, carefully shoveled off the surface an inch of ground and gravel, and examined by means of sieves and pan-washing, all the material down to the bed rock. About thirty of these tests were made encircling Table Rock, and in no instance was a ruby or diamond found

Fourth—Ruby Gulch, leading directly from Table Rock to Arnold Creek, and by necessity receiving the wash of the gem bearing surface of sandstone, was found to be extremely rich in rubies at the head, but this richness, instead of continuing down the bed, as if genuine it inevitably must do, proved to exist only in ground directly at the foot of Table Rock, where the soil was clearly disturbed, mixed and smoothed over I sank a series of four pits to bed rock down the gulch at intervals, excavating probably a couple of tons of material, and although, as in every other instance, quarts and even concretions were distributed throughout all the gulch soil, not a ruby or diamond was found

Fifth—In the top of Table Rock and in the midst of thickly sown rubies are certain crevices not opened by your parties They are filled with soil and pebbles and more or less overgrown with grass, sage brush and small cactus plants We carefully removed the top inch, dug out the whole crack, finding no trace of diamonds or even rubies In the crevices, which bore unmistakable evidence of having been tampered with we never failed to find rubies and often small diamonds

Sixth—Upon raised dome like portions of Table Rock, rubies and diamonds lay upon the summits and inclined sides in positions where the storms of one or two winters must inevitably have dislodged them, and where, moreover, they were unaccompanied by quarts or concretions

Seventh—An exhaustive examination of the rock material itself with a field microscope, revealed no grain however minute, of either gem

Eighth—In the ravines and upon the mesa near by, are numerous ant hills built of small pebbles, mixed by the ants, and which we found to bear rubies on their surfaces. A still oldder examination showed artificial holes, broken horizontally with some stick or small implement, through the natural crust of the mound—holes easily distinguished from the natural avenues made by the insects themselves When traced to their end, each artificial hole held one or two rubies More over, about these 'salted" hills were the old storm worn foot prints of a man

Many outside ant hills were studied, but there were neither artificial holes piercing them, rubies within nor without, nor human tracks

Ninth—I discovered in the Table three small emeralds Summing up the minerals, this rock has produced four distinct types of diamonds Oriental rubies, garnets, spinels, sapphires, emeralds and amethysts—an association of minerals, I believe, of impossible occurrence in nature

Tenth—When altogether satisfied that the gems had been 'salted" on or about the Table, our party set out on a series of outside prospects, which were carried on all over the mesa and its flanking canyons, until the absolute valuelessness of the property was finally ascertained

The results of these ten links of proof are That the gems exist in positions where nature alone could never have placed them, that they do not exist where, had the occurrence been genuine, the inevitable laws of nature must have carried them finally that some designing hand has "salted" them with deliberate fraudulent intent

Furthermore this is the work of no common swindler but of one who has known enough to select a spot where every geological parallelism added a fresh probability of honesty

The selection of the geological locality is so astonishingly considered, the 'salting" itself so cunning and artful, the filling of all the conditions so fatally well done, I can feel no surprise that even a trustworthy and cautious an engineer as Janin should have brought home the belief he did especially when as his report states, he was not allowed to prospect exhaustively, nor do I wonder that your second party of ten men brought back a confirmation of Janin's opinion, since they too were hurried from the ground without actually testing it

The *Post* in an article upon this gigantic fraud says the alleged discoverers netted not less than $650 000 out of the business men of San Francisco and New York, and further says "it is not quite clear who put up the job'

In our view of the surroundings, Arnold was the original and prime mover in the scheme Slack was an accomplice One or two others may have obtained small interests in the profits by way of rewards for silence about accidental discoveries Harpending is mentioned with suspicion, and the fact that he was in London at the time when, according to the letters of diamond dealers there large sales of the stones which, it is believed, were used to carry out the great swindle were made He also acted as Arnold's financial agent until a few days past. Still he may not have known of the London purchase, and may be able to show out with clean hands

General George B Hodge is spoken of with distrust He was among the first to visit the locality and find diamonds He also acted as confidential adviser of Arnold A few days ago, when whispers of fraud began to be heard, Gen Dodge suddenly had business East But, after all he too may have been deceived like Janin and others who visited the field

The victims are our business men and capitalists They have been most outrageously deceived General McClellan and others of New York are out about $700 000 while as much or more as been lost in this city Wm M Lent has paid out about $400,000, W C Ralston has advanced a large amount to the Company. The money was nearly all paid to Arnold

The following named gentlemen purchased stock and paid the amounts annexed. It is all lost M S Latham, $20,000, Michael Reese, $20,000, John Rosenfield, $20,000; Lewis Sloss, $40,000, Maurice Dore, $20,000, T. Sunderland, $40,000, D D. Colton, $20 000, J W Cashwiffer, $10 000 Charles W Lightner, $20,000, W F Babcock, $20 000, T Parrott, $20,000, Albert Gansl, $20,000

Thus ends for the present this chapter in the most barefaced swindle of the age Diamonds are no trumps in this part of the world"

THE TERRITORIES

Clothes line thieving is being successfully practiced in Olympia.

A very heavy gale was blowing on the Sound during a portion of last week

Lieut Epstien, U S A, Nez Pas, charge of the British barracks on San Juan Island.

There is a native population in Alaska of 75,000 besides the Russians, composed of Indians and Esquimaux

McFadden's majority for Delegate to Congress in Washington Territory is 761, with Stevens county to hear from

John R McBride, formerly of this State, but latterly a resident of Idaho, has gone to Salt Lake City to remain permanently.

J M Fletcher's majority for Prosecuting Attorney in the 3d Judicial District of Washington Territory, over C C Hewett, is 82.

A general good time was had at Olympia on Thanksgiving Day Religious services, roast turkey, dancing, etc, were the entertainments provided for the people

John Hailey, delegate elect to Congress from Idaho, is the owner of 10,700 head of sheep He ought to be able to "pull the wool over the eyes" of most of his fellow members.

Last Saturday week the thermometer at Warren's Diggings, Idaho, stood 32 degrees below zero, which the same was remarkably cold weather for the time of the year.

The *Alaska Herald* says The Hudson Bay Company smuggle great quantities of furs across the eastern boundary of the Territory, and thus avoid heavy imposts which American traders are compelled to pay.

A young man of Olympia was badly sold the other night by his friends who got him to hold the sack across a path while they proposed to drive a flock of snipe into it. He held the sack for about three hours in the dark and rain and then went home to find his companions in bed and asleep

In Alaska, from 8,000 to 10,000 mink are taken every year, and from 5,000 to 6,000 marten The number of muskrats killed is set down at from 5,000 to 6,000 Of foxes (blue, white, red, gray, etc) there are taken from 5,000 to 7,000 The supply of sea and land otter is abundant, all things considered. The sea otter is so valuable that in its quest the bounds of prudence are not regarded as they should be, looking to the future

The Commissioner of the General Land Office at Washington has decided that where land in odd numbered sections within the withdrawal for the Northern Pacific Railroad being based on a map of a preliminary line, to which the right of homestead or pre emption had attached, should be abandoned or relinquished prior to filing of definite location of said road, the tracts would revert to the government to be held for the benefit of the grant but if such land should be abandoned or relinquished after the filing of the map of definite location of said road when it would be subject to disposal by the United States the same as other lands not within limits of a railroad grant, viz $1 25 per acre

The Victoria *Colonist* of the 27th ult, says "The final evacuation of San Juan island and its transfer to the American flag have dealt a death blow to the profitable trade that has been so long enjoyed by Victorians Even the little trading sloops which have plied industriously between the island and this port for many years past, taking and bringing goods and produce without let or hindrance from Customs Officers on either side, must now make a long detour in going or coming to enter and clear at Port Townsend before touching at the lately neutral ground, and duties will be exacted both at Port Townsend and Victoria The Customs law was applied at this port yesterday, for the first time, in the case of a number of beeves which were brought over by a schooner from the Island"

PRESIDENT GRANT AND THE JEWS —Among the other baseless and malignant charges made by the Democracy against President Grant during the late political campaign was the President a alleged dislike and hatred of the Jews Old army orders were raked up and distorted from their original meaning, and such construction given them as was thought would serve the nefarious intent for which they were coined But bad men's designs to the contrary, notwithstanding, the truth will always out to the confusion of falsifiers The latest official news received at the foreign department in Washington from the Austrian Empire shows that the United States flag now shelters under its broad and catholic fold thirty five Jewish families who fled from persecutions in Wallachia What will the maligners of President Grant say to this? In the protection of these persecuted people the American nation has proved itself worthy of its grand mission of freedom amongst the nations and President Grant and his cabinet have shown themselves the officient and conscientious asserters and defenders of the principles involved in that great mission.—*New Orleans Republican*

It is stated in an eastern paper that the number of emigrants who have arrived this year will reach 400,000, and there is a prospect that this number will come annually for the next fifty years to come

Commandant Selfridge has issued an order that hereafter a man's merit as a mechanic, and not his value as a voter, will be the rule observed in selecting workmen for the Navy yard at Mare Island

There are 1,919 National Banks in operation in the United States, with an aggregate of $1,756,857,000 resources.

By Overland Telegraph.

DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN

EASTERN DATES TO DECEMBER 2.

EASTERN STATES.

Great Storm in New Brunswick.

ST JOHN, New York Dec 2 —A severe storm has prevailed in New Brunswick, dispatch gives an account of a violent storm which set on Friday night, and Saturday, doing great damage to shipping in the harbor, and wrecking a number of vessels outside with consid able loss of life In the city several buildings were blown down and a portion of a new edifice nearly completed for the Young Men s Christian Association fell Three groceries were crushed and several dwellings blown over and beam demolished Fears are entertained for the fleet which left the port the other morning

Funeral of Mr. Greeley

The remains of Greeley were taken to this city from Pleasantville Saturday evening, and are now at his residence David Sinclair, the two daughters of Greeley, and Mrs. Gibbons are unpacked the remains to this city

The *Herald* mentions that the Union League have a hope that President Grant will take part in the obsequies of his late distinguished rival in the political field

The trustees of the *Tribune* at a meeting Saturday, appointed a committee, consisting of Sinclair, Reid and Cleveland, to take entire charge of the arrangements for Greeley's funeral They have fixed for Wednesday at 11 o'clock from the church of the Divine Paternity, Rev Dr Chapin's No special invitations will be sent out, but it is already known that organizations of various kinds are taking formal steps for attending in body

Filling the Vacancy

NEW YORK, Dec 3 —The office of Surveyor of this port, now vacant will be filled under the Civil Service rules

Miscellaneous Items

NEW YORK, Dec 3 —Collector John Cain has died on Saturday, aged 70 years

Eight hundred men were discharged from the Navy Yard yesterday

Arrived—Steamship *Algeria* from Liverpool.

At Sinkapin schooner has sunk off Point Sandy Hook, having the appearance of being from Cuba Two of the crew were taken off by a tug boat The remainder are supposed to be lost

Charles Conway, fireman of the steamer *Missouri*, in giving the story of the loss of the vessel, tells also of the loss of Col A S Evans He said he was on the boat's bottom and hailed Abraham Stewart out of the water While trying to right the boat, he saw Evans in the water. He about twenty minutes he went down He was about twenty yards

The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 3, 1872.

What Next?

The Democracy being, in all probability, dead, there is a large amount of raw material lying about the country wanting to be worked up into a new party organization. This material is, however, available only on certain conditions. It will have a voice of its own. It is material for a new party, simply because the dissolution of the party it formerly composed, has cast it aloof from all political associations. The American sovereign must belong to a party. If he does not, he is out of his normal state and grows restless and unhappy, or listless and inefficient. So the mass of Democratic voters will, before a great while, become identified with some party organization. If by any circumstance or combination of circumstances, the revival of the Democratic party, which now appears impossible, shall be effected, it will naturally retain the support of those who have hitherto given it their votes, and the status of politics will continue to be, in the main, just as it has been.

But assuming the Democracy to be out of the field, what shall we have in its place? This is a question that is asked with no small degree of earnestness by many intelligent persons. The attitude of the political parties toward each other and toward the Southern States, has been such as greatly to embarrass the efforts of those who have sought a perfect reconciliation between the people of the North and those of the South. Both North and South have regarded the Democracy as the legitimate successor, as well as antecedent, to the rebellion, and the Republican party as the continuation of the organization that put the Union armies in the field and maintained them there. Thus the only political organizations in the country have been looked upon as the souls of the great leaders of the North and South respectively, marching on and destined to years of strife for ascendency in the public heart. The South, regarding the Democracy as its friend and the Republican party as its enemy, listened naturally to the former, and was misled and blinded as to the views of the Republicans, and deluded, willingly it may be, into the idea that the Republican rule in the nation would speedily terminate after the close of the war. This was to them "a consummation devoutly to be wished," and to be aided by all means in their power. The consequence was, the Southern States were thrown into disorders and a state of rebellion, that only wanted the strength and the forms of organization and Governmental sanction, of being equal to the recognized state of war through which they had just past. Congressional legislation for the preservation of order, and the protection of the rights of person and property in the seceded States, with all the evils of carpet-bag government succeeded; and the Southern people, believing themselves to be hated and persecuted by the North, and that discriminating laws were enacted against them, from motives of revenge, have reciprocated the feelings they attributed to the North. All the prejudices of early life, all the bitter recollections of the war, the loss of property and of position, have combined to prevent the South from accepting any interpretation of the course of the dominant party, that does not admit the existence of a spirit of revenge toward the Southern people. It matters little that this idea is without foundation, so long as the South believes it to be correct. The declarations of a desire for a thorough and radical reconciliation, on the part of the Government, are still received with suspicion, and their good intention thwarted.

The object that just now most engrosses the attention of those statesmen of the nation who are not devoted to planning for personal promotion, is the removal of all discord and ill-feeling between the two sections of the Union. This is the one thing needful to the complete restoration of proper relations among all the States. It is clear that the thing to be dealt with is a misunderstanding. The people of the North do not fully understand those of the South, and are thoroughly misunderstood and misinterpreted by them in return.

It seems to us scarcely possible that any new party can be organized that will not be vastly less a hindrance to perfect reconciliation than the Democracy has been. There is no issue possible, so far as we can see, upon which a political organization could be founded, that does not affect both North and South alike. Every question upon which the South has been peculiarly sensitive has passed away with the Democratic party. When the question between the rival parties comes to be, What shall we do with the South? as it ought to have ceased long ago, the road to perfect reconciliation and mutual good understanding will be open. The good will of the North toward the South will become sooner manifest, and the people of the latter section will learn to regard the Government as national, not sectional, in its character, and beneficent in its purposes. Whatever may be the issues upon which the people shall divide hereafter, they cannot be more unfortunate for the country, and are likely to be much less so, than those of the past which appear now to be settled.

A System of Sewerage.

Every year the demand for a thorough and well adjusted system of sewerage for this city, becomes more and more urgent. The extension of street improvements in every direction, and the reduction of the inequalities of the natural surface of the ground, divert the water from its old channels, and, in many instances, cause large volumes of water to flow upon streets that were formerly free from it. The great rain-fall of our winters, causes the problem of drainage to be a more pressing one here than in most cities of equal magnitude. It not infrequently happens that in twenty-four hours, improvements that have been made at large expense are washed out and swept away.

Heretofore, the efforts of the Council in the matter of sewerage have been local in character, and without accurate adaptation to the requirements of a system for the whole city. The inconvenience and bad economy of such a plan or want of plan, for drainage, are obvious. In view of this, the Committee on Streets and Public Property last summer, engaged Wm. E. Morris, Esq., a competent engineer, to prepare and report to the Council a system of sewerage that would be adapted to the present and future wants of the city. Mr. Morris examined the ground carefully, took exact notes of the elevation of the different streets, made calculations of the amount of water that will accumulate at different points, the capacity of sewers necessary to carry it off as fast as it falls, and such other matters as have a bearing upon the subject. The engineer's plans of the system have been reported to the Council, and made part of the records of the city. It is to be hoped this action of the Committee will enable the street department hereafter, so to arrange the drainage of the city, that the work a man does to-day, at great cost, will not be washed away, or have to be undone to-morrow.

On next Wednesday the Electoral Colleges will meet at the capitals of the respective States and cast their votes for President and Vice President. The law requires that they shall make certificates of their proceedings and of the result of the vote in triplicate, and shall forward one copy by mail to the President of the Senate of the United States, one copy to the United States District Judge of the District in which the State Capitol is located, and shall send the third copy by a special messenger to the President of the Senate. In case the messenger does not deliver the copy sent by him by the first Wednesday of January, the President of the Senate is required to send a messenger to the State for the vote. A failure to choose a messenger and send him as required subjects the Electors to a forfeiture of one thousand dollars, and the failure of the Elector chosen as messenger to deliver the vote in time, subjects him to a further forfeiture of the same amount. In obedience to this law the Electors of Oregon will meet at Salem on Wednesday next and cast their votes for Grant and Wilson, and designate one of their number to carry the certificate thereof to Washington.

The muddle in Alabama politics, whatever that muddle is, appears to grow no better. It is impossible from all the dispatches yet received, to form any very exact idea of the nature of the embroglio. The present condition of affairs is doubtless in some way connected with the circumstances reported some days ago, of the arrest of members of the Legislature by the United States Marshal, but how those arrests happened to be made is no more definitely known than are the details of the present squabble. It is to be hoped the sequel will show that the Republican members have not resorted to any questionable practices in order to secure the power to elect Mr. Spencer's successor in the Senate. Better lose than win through improper means.

The Indian difficulties in the the Link river district grow more serious. The news reaches Yreka that the settlers are being butchered by the savages and the troops are insufficient to quell the uprising. We apprehend no danger of a general war, but the isolated situation of the Link river country enables a comparatively small number of Indians to commit extensive depredations before succor can reach the settlers.

The total vote of Pennsylvania at the Presidential election was 116,617 less than at the State election in October. Of this falling off, 107,760 were from the Democratic vote, and 8,857 from the Republican.

OREGON.

The mercury rose sixteen degrees at Eugene City last Friday.

Quite a number of buildings are in course of erection in Dallas, and the town has put on a lively appearance since the fire.

The McMinnville Water Ditch Co. case, transferred from Yamhill county to Marion, is pending in the Circuit Court for trial at the present term in Salem. It is one of those cases in which the winning party will be apt to lose.

The late rains have very materially raised the Wallamet and boats will doubtless soon be running at least as far as Eugene City—all of which will be good for the shippers of grain, as we learn that large quantities are stored at points along the river.

It is rumored that bad white men are instigating the Modoc Indians to their deeds of blood shed in the Klamath Lake country. It is also feared that the Indians have become exasperated and have slaughtered some of the whites living, in remote and unprotected localities.

The old saying that the longest way round sometimes is the shortest way through, is illustrated by the fact that the papers sent from Portland reach Salem in three hours, while it is just that number of days before they are received by subscribers at Lincoln, ten miles this side of Salem.

The authorities of Washington Territory offer a reward of $100 gold coin, for the apprehension of Frank McCann to any Sheriff or Constable in the State of Oregon or Washington Territory. McCann likely heard that he was wanted and has walked out of the way. Frank is nimble in the heels, being a dancing master by profession.

The *Republican* says that on Friday morning of last week the house of Mr. Jacob Pfrau, who resides near Eola, was entered by a burglar who had first succeeded in poisoning the watch dog on the premises. Mr. Pfrau being awakened by the noise, and supposing the unknown visitor to be one of his sons, inquired if he were sick, upon which the burglar replied, yes. Mr. Pfrau then rose and started towards him, when the midnight intruder unceremoniously took to his heels. The burglar succeeded in making his escape with a fine watch and about $150 in coin.

WOODHULL AND CLAFLIN AND THEIR FRIENDS.—The *Tribune* of the 16th has the following:

Justice Fowler, having read the voluminous testimony given in the case of Luther C. Challis against James H. Blood, for the alleged libel published in *Woodhull & Claflin's Weekly*, has decided to commit Blood for trial at the General Session, in default of $10,000 bail.

A movement was instituted last evening for the liberation, on bail, of Mrs. Woodhull and Miss Claflin from Ludlow-st. jail. About 40 men, including several reporters and four women, met at No. 602 Sixth-ave., to consider the best means of accomplishing the desired result. The chairman, upon opening the meeting, claimed that the women now imprisoned were held by the United States Commissioner without proper justification.

A tall man with a heavy mustache, defined in language devoid of any ambiguity, the words of the statute regarding immoral publications. He closed his remarks by reducing to a republican equality the Decameron, Ovid Shakespeare, *Woodhull & Claflin Weekly*, and Rabelais. It was then announced that "only $38,000 was necessary to open the door to the martyr for free speech."

The enthusiasm of the meeting was at a high pitch, and a collection resulted in $9 55. A committee was then appointed to take charge of the funds. A resolution was next adopted making Messrs. Jay Cooke & Co. treasurers for the Committee, and requesting all those interested in the release of Mrs. Woodhull and Miss Claflin to send their money to this firm. The consent of the bankers had not been obtained. After an extended speech by the chairman upon the need of the utmost dispatch in raising the money, the meeting adjourned, subject to the call of the Committee.

A SORROWFUL SCENE.—A petrified baby has been exhumed from the Chicago cemetery. The *Times* says:

All, save the mother of the little infant, stood mutely looking upon it, but she became nearly frantic with excitement from the first moment that the body was exposed to view. She had endeavored to take it from the coffin, crying bitterly, and wildly insisted upon taking it back to her home. Her husband held her back and would not allow her to remove it. The mother seemed nearly distracted with grief at the thought of it being interred. It looked so natural and beautiful, so like the baby she had placed in the grave ten years ago, that it brought up all her sorrow afresh, as if she was but now laying the loved darling in the earth. The body was removed, with others which the family had come there to exhume, to Graceland, and reburried. The family are Swedes, and, it was learned, resides a short distance out of the city. The child so remarkably preserved had been buried for more than ten years."

Steamer Sunk on the Ohio

CINCINNATI, Nov. 14.—The *Chronicle* says the steamer *St. Mary's*, which left Memphis for Cincinnati last night with 2,30 bales of cotton and 10 passengers, struck a stump near Morris Landing at 9½ P. M., tearing a hole between the wheel and stern, causing her to sink in less than ten minutes in 18 feet of water. When she struck, she was headed for the bar opposite, and ran upon it, but her bow swung around, and she floated off and down the river nearly a mile to Brandywine Bar, upon which she now lies. As far as known there were no lives lost, her passengers having been carried safely to the bar, and thence ashore in a life-boat, but one of the firemen is missing. The steamer *City of Chester* passed soon after she settled, and carried the passengers to Cairo. The *St. Mary's* was valued at $36,000, and was insured in Cincinnati offices for $16,000. The vessel can probably be raised.

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Signed, this 12th day of November, 1872, at the Pacific Branch Office of the Company, in the city of San Francisco, California.
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Office of Oregon Steamship Company,
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MESSRS. J. T. & W. H. DALY, OF NEW YORK, having retired from the California business, and disposed of their right and interest in their Celebrated brands of FINE OLD WHISKIES, namely:
A. A. A., "OLD STOCK,"
CENTURY,
CRANSTON CABINET,
To Messrs. H. & H. W. Catherwood, of Philadelphia, we shall be in regular receipt of these Whiskies, which we will guarantee to be equal, if not superior, to any previous consignments.
DICKSON, DeWOLF & CO.,
SOLE AGENTS,
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Caution.
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IN ENDLESS VARIETY,
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R. JACOBS, President O. C. Mfg. Co.
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I will sell at Auction on
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AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.
One case BRANDY WINE,
One case [illegible] BRANDY,
One case [illegible] GIN,
One case [illegible] PORT WINE,
One bbl [illegible] WHISKEY,
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THE ABOVE REWARD WILL BE GIVEN TO ANY person for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who set fire to the Oregon City Woolen Mills on Saturday morning, November 23d, 1872.
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TUESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 3, 1872.

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As a matter of course, each article in the cabinet has its particular and separate history, which attaches no inconsiderable value to it, and were we able at the present time, to give a slight sketch of the curious stories connected with the discovery of some of the specimens, our readers would either suppose we were inclined to presume upon their credulity, or that we inclined to presume upon their credulity, or that the days of Sinbad, the sailor, had been repeated in reality with some other personage of less renown. But as our space will not admit of anything of the kind, we shall only speak partly of the different articles; but still give an idea of what the cabinet which is about seven feet in height, and eight feet in width, contains. The first article we noticed was a very fine specimen of petrified tuke: then an excellent article of native sulphur, in its natural state. 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ANOTHER PIONEER GONE.—Mr. John Flemming, who has resided at Oregon City, for the last quarter of a century, departed this life at his residence yesterday. Mr. Flemming had nearly reached the allotted limit to human life—three score years and ten. He came to Oregon about the year 1843, and was without ex

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The collection of bugs not only form an interesting study to the thoughtful, but are, owing to their many bright and colored hues, beautiful, and amply compensate for all the time that has been expended in securing them. We have given the subject more space than we would otherwise have done, for the reason it is designed for a purpose altogether commendable, and which will have only good results. It is the intention of Mr. Raffety to collect all the different minerals, and whatever else that is curious to strangers that is found in the State, and leave Roque free to the inspection of all who may desire to learn what Oregon contains in the characters above stated. We noticed that of the many different articles in the cabinet, a number of them are only were labeled in a manner showing what they were, but also bore the names of those who had donated them. If our citizens will lend a helping hand, the cabinet will be a source of much valuable information as to the history of our young and growing State in a very short time. All contributions will be thankfully received and the kindness of the donor fully heralded and appreciated.

ANOTHER PIONEER GONE.—Mr. John Flemming, who has resided at Oregon City for the last quarter of a century, departed this life at his residence yesterday. Mr. Flemming had nearly reached the allotted limit to human life—three score years and ten. He came to Oregon about the year 1843, and was, without exception the oldest living printer in the State, and a pioneer in the printing and publishing business on the coast. In 1845 he established and published for some time, the *Oregon Spectator*, the first paper ever issued in Oregon. Since his arrival in the State, he has resided constantly at Oregon City. He commanded the respect and esteem of the community in which he was so long and familiarly known, and we are the friends who mourn his death. Deceased was a member of the Masonic order—a Royal Arch Mason—and belonged to Multnomah Lodge No. 1. The fraternity will convey his remains to their final resting place to-day at 11 o'clock A. M.

SAILED.—The steamer *John L. Stephens* sailed for San Francisco for this port, last evening at 4 o'clock. The following passengers are on the way down: J A K Cronan, Dr M D Merrick, Maj Gen Hobart, U S A, E C Lord, H H Ekkhert and lady, Jas Verdin, B Burgunder, J H Dickson, Rev Father Verther, Rev Father Orth, Miss E Holmes, C M Volkman, Paul Dats, Lieut Sherwood, U S A, S W Raveley, Miss A E Armstrong, H S Alger and wife, Miss F Miller, Miss Nauble Miller, Miss Bichobe Hanson, Mrs T Wilson, Miss K Terry, Mrs I Wist, A H Buckman, wife, two sons and two daughters.

INFERIOR OIL.—It is a subject of much complaint, now that the oil lamps used on the back street do not afford a sufficient amount of light. The lamps, it is true, are kept burnished and clean; but the oil used must be of an inferior quality, for the lamps constantly flicker and yield a very weak and unsteady light. And to prevent explosions, the persons who attend to the trimming and replenishing of the lamps, turn down the wicks so low that the flames but feebly dispel the darkness of these nights. The proper authorities should see to these lamps.

THE SUNKEN SCOW.—Some time ago a scow loaded with sand sunk while lying alongside the O. S. N. wharf. At the present stage of water the vessels have not been able to land at the wharf where the scow disappeared. Yesterday the steamer *California* and ferryboat were both engaged in drawing the old craft farther out into the stream to get it out of the way of vessels coming to land. A large chain was attached to the scow, and after much difficulty it was towed a distance from the wharf.

DISCHARGING BALLAST.—Ballast is now being discharged from the ship *Channel Light* at McCracken's wharf. The ballast consists entirely of granite, brought from Hongkong. The stone is being hoisted by means of large buckets and tackling and "dumped" in the margin of the river. Several days must be occupied in this manner, before the vessel will be in a proper condition to receive wheat—of which her return cargo will consist.

NEW WHEEL.—The new wheel for the steamer *Annie Stewart*, has been completed. This wheel is more powerfully and substantially constructed than that of any boat now plying on either the Columbia or Willamet rivers. In connection with the new wheel, a new boiler, powerful engines, and one of the most approved models, the *Annie Stewart* gives promise of being one of the fastest vessels on the rivers.

SENTENCED.—Judge Upton sentenced Wm. Ryan last Saturday, to imprisonment in the Penitentiary for one year. Ryan had been indicted and convicted of larceny.

NOT GUILTY.—The jury in the case of State vs Chinese Jim, returned a verdict of not guilty last evening in the Circuit Court, after a short deliberation.

IN TRIUMPH.—Three minutes after the result of the firemen's election was known last evening by the announcement of the judges, every fire bell in the city gave out their wild and discordant clangor. The friends of the triumphant candidates gave cheer upon cheer until from very hoarseness they were compelled to desist from their victorious rejoicing. In less time than it requires to write the members of Columbian Hose Co. No. 3 came running up from their engine house to where the election was held—at the house of Vigilantes Hook and Ladder. The "boys" took Mr. Bruen, the newly elected Chief Engineer, up bodily and bore him on their shoulders and placed him on the hose cart. Then with repeated cheers the hose "boys" dashed up and down the streets amidst the rain and mud, drawing the cart on which was seated in triumph the new Chief.

OFFICERS ELECTED.—The Concordia Debating Society held a meeting at the Court House last Friday evening, and elected the following officers: President, E. T. Howe; Vice President, W. H. Upton; Corresponding Secretary, N. L. Gilham; Recording Secretary, S. O. Royal; Treasurer, Wm. W. Gibbs. Hereafter the Society will hold its weekly meetings at the Academy.

CLOSE OF SCHOOLS.—The Public schools of the city will close next Friday afternoon. Informal examination in the various branches pursued, are being held in the several schools during the present week. The regular closing will take place on Friday afternoon. Studies will be resumed the following Monday morning, and no vacation will be given until the holidays.

DETAINED BY FOG.—The steamer *John L. Stephens*, which sailed for this port yesterday evening, was to have left San Francisco last Saturday morning, but owing to the prevailing dense fogs which hung about the Bay, she did not deem it safe to venture. The steamer will be due here Thursday evening.

NEW ENGINE HOUSE.—The new engine house at Vancouver was dedicated by the firemen of that town last Saturday evening with the customary exercises common on such occasions. The affair ended with a very social hop at the new hall, in which many ladies and gentlemen participated.

THE DREDGER HULL.—Since the hull of the new dredger was launched, it has been brought alongside the Willamette Iron Works, to receive the boiler and engines, now almost finished. A small amount of work on the new hull and it will be ready for the reception of the machinery.

STILL RISING.—The river still continues to augment in volume at this place. This rise is doubtless attributable to the rain fall in the mountains on both sides of the valley, as comparatively but slight quantities of rain have visited the valley. The current is quite strong.

CONTINUED.—The case of the State vs M. Rudolph, charged with having aided a man named A. T. Flemming alias J. Johnson who is accused of embezzlement in Iowa, in effecting his escape from an officer sent in pursuit, was continued until this morning in the Police Court.

FINISHED.—The coping around the wall at the Court House, has all been placed down, and yesterday the jointings of the stone were cemented. The iron railing will soon be placed on top of the coping, as soon as the design shall be selected by the County Court.

DRAPED FLAG.—A flag wearing crape, was displayed yesterday from the front of the Court House, in respect to the memory of Major Thos. H. Tilghman, whose remains were interred in the Lone Fir Cemetery by the members of the Mexican Veterans.

NEW PROPELLER.—A new propellor has just been cast at the Willamet Iron Works, which will be used on Allen Francis' new steamer on the Sound. The size of the propeller is 4 feet and 7 inches in diameter, and has three flukes.

REPAIRED.—Ship carpenters will soon commence to repair the damages done to the ship *Channel Light* by the recent collision with the *Emma Hayward*. A new jib boom, cat-heads, etc., will be placed in.

NO MORE FREIGHT.—Orders have been received at the O. S. N. Company's wharf, to receive no more freight for points above the Dalles. This indicates an early suspension of navigation on the Upper Columbia.

MEETING OF CREDITORS.—The second meeting of the creditors in the matter of W. A. Buchanan, adjudged a bankrupt, will be held at the office of J. J. Henderson, Register, on Saturday, Dec. 17th.

BOOM.—A long boom was towed down the river yesterday by the tug *Ben Holladay*, from the upper saw mill. The boom is to be used in securing the logs at the saw mill below the city.

TO THE END.—To-day, regular trains will begin to run through to Roseburg, a distance of 108 miles, on the Oregon and California Railroad. The schedule time will remain unchanged.

COMPLETED.—A ditch extending around the base of Robinson Hill, mention of which was made several days ago in the OREGONIAN, will be completed to-day.

FIRST SESSION.—The first session of Court by the members of the Law Student's Association, will be held this evening at the room of Justice Ryan.

BEING PLANKED.—Front street is now being planked the full width both north and south of the Oregon Iron Works.

L. R. S.—The usual meeting of the Ladies' Relief Society will take place to-day (Tuesday) at 2 o'clock.

THE COURTS.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

MONDAY, Dec. 2, 1872.

W. W. Hobart and wife vs Charles B. Upton. Action to recover possession of real property. Judgment for plaintiff.

Frederick Elliott vs Charles B. Upton. Same as above.

Oh Chow et al vs J. L. Hallett. Cause placed on docket and set for trial on the 10th inst.

J. Nightingale et al vs Oregon Central Railroad Co., et al. Cause and proceedings for testimony continued to April 25, 1873.

United States vs *Louisa Simpson*. Application for part of proceeds. Order that H. Horst and T. B. Smithson be paid $600, for amount paid for services of seamen for bringing the vessel from Kotzbue Sound to Portland; that A. D. Wass be paid $76 50 for pilotage across the Columbia river bar, and H. A. Snow be paid the sum of $38 25 for pilotage up the Columbia river.

CIRCUIT COURT—UPTON, J.

MONDAY, Dec. 2d, 1872.

F. S. Aiken excused for the term as grand juror. J. J. Allen was sworn in as a juror instead.

The indictment against K. Feltag, indicted under the name of R. Feidig, was dismissed and the cause remanded to the grand jury.

E. Martin vs Jo. Reilly.—Demurrer to the complaint sustained.

Annie Golden vs Samuel Sykes.—Plaintiff has leave to amend complaint.

State vs Chinese Moe.—Larceny. Verdict of guilty, and Wednesday set for sentence.

John Reeves vs Wm. Davidson, J. H. Hayden and John Cogswell.—Judgment by default for $728 92, coin.

State vs Chinese Jim.—Assault with intent to do bodily harm. Jury empannoled and cause on trial at half-past two o'clock.

Jurors not on this pannel excused until 9 o'clock to-morrow.

COUNTY COURT—HAMILTON, J.

IN PROBATE.

In the matter of the estate of William King.—Order entering order for now sale *nunc pro tunc*.

In the matter of the last will and testament of Simeon Frashis, deceased.—Order admitting will to probate. H. Z. Holmes, Henry L. Pittock and Lloyd Brooke appointed appraisers.

In the matter of the estate of William E. Cooper.—Order for sale of real estate.

In the matter of the guardianship of M. U. Lownsdale.—Order for discharge of guardian and exonerating bondsmen.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Guild.—Order for final settlement.

In the matter of the estate of Wm. C. Mitchell.—Order for final settlement.

Court adjourned to Tuesday, 10 A. M. Commissioners meet at 1 P. M.

A good name once fixed is invaluable. Brush your teeth daily and use Lyon's Tooth Tablets.

FIREMEN'S ELECTION

The annual election of the Portland Fire Department, for a Chief Engineer and First and Second Assistants, came off yesterday. The election passed off remarkably tranquil and quiet, considering the lively character of the contest and the strenuous efforts made by the friends of the respective candidates to carry the day. Although the election was hotly contested, the best of feeling prevailed among the firemen. The polls opened at 10 A. M., and closed at 4 P. M. The whole number of votes cast was 237. The following is the vote as recorded.

FOR CHIEF ENGINEER.

A. A. Williams	120
Wm. O. Bruen	137

FOR ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

J. B. Reynolds	112
J. F. Gallagher	120
J. P. Wilcox	110
A. J. Gray	117

A. Wendt, who announced himself as an independent candidate for Chief Engineer, withdrew his name before the polls opened in favor of W. O. Bruen.

Mr. Bruen having received 17 more votes than his competitor is elected Chief Engineer of the Portland Fire Department for the ensuing year, his term of office commencing on the 1st of January, 1873. Mr. J. F. Gallagher having received the highest number of votes next for the Assistants is the First, and Mr. A. J. Gray the next highest is the Second Assistant. Mr. Bruen is a member of Columbian No. 3, and Messrs. Gallagher and Gray are both members of Protection Co. No. 4.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE WASHINGTON GUARD TENDER THEIR SERVICES FOR THE CAMPAIGN AGAINST THE MODOC INDIANS.

The following correspondence took place yesterday between Capt. Chas. S. Mills, of the Washington Guard, and his Excellency Governor Grover, which will best explain itself:

To His Excellency, Governor Grover: SIR—The Washington Guard are at your command for Indian service. Sincerely yours etc.,
CHAS. S. MILLS, Captain.

To this tender of services, the Governor responded:

SALEM, Dec. 2d, 1872.

CAPT. CHAS. S. MILLS: I have accepted the tender of a company organized at Jacksonville today, which will be sufficient with the men already in the Lake Basin. Am greatly obliged for your patriotic offer. L. F. GROVER, Governor.

We learn that this patriotic offer was made unanimously by the members of the company, and that regret was felt and expressed by both men and officers at the decline to accept the tendered service, on the part of the Executive of the State.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

More rain.

Another pioneer gone.

Firemen's election over.

Game of all kinds abundant.

The Metropolis Hotel is closed.

More new books at the Library.

W. O. Bruen was the successful candidate.

Grand wedding at the Clarendon Hotel last evening.

No change in the time table on the east side railroad.

One hundred and ninety-eight miles of railroad southward.

Smith Bros., machinists, are about to extend their business.

No California or States mail received at the postoffice last evening.

A night freight train hereafter on the Oregon and California Railroad.

The Clackamas paper mills are turning out printing paper at present.

The St. Charles Hotel will be the scene of a brilliant wedding next Sunday evening.

The steamer *California* is announced to sail for Sound ports this evening at four o'clock.

Get your life insured in the—— well, there are a good many companies anxious to furnish you with a policy.

AMUSEMENTS.

Carl Bosco was at Boise City, I. T., on the 28th ult., bound eastward for Salt Lake.

The Vivian-Gaugain party were at Oakland last night and will appear at Roseburg this evening.

A classical concert is held in contemplation at the First Baptist church in this city on the 12th inst., to be given under the direction of Profs. Newell and Yarndley.

Manager Waldron will be the recipient of a complimentary benefit on Thursday evening. We wish him a full house, and we have no doubt he will be greeted with a bumper.

The East Portland Brass Band will give a promenade concert and ball at the Odd Fellows' Hall in East Portland, on the evening of the 13th inst. The concert will be for the benefit of Mr. Geo. A. Buchanan, a member of the band, who has but recently recovered from a severe attack of illness.

The rendition of the great sensational drama of "Diavola" at Oro Fino Theater, drew out a good audience last evening. This play has met with fair success here, but its intrinsic merits and the manner in which it has uniformly been rendered, was certainly worthy of a larger and better share of public patronage than has been accorded. "Diavola" will be played again this evening.

PERSONAL.

B. M. Washburn, Esq., Postmaster of Vancouver, was in the city yesterday.

Capt. C. P. Crandall, of the *Statesman*, gave us a call last evening. He will return to Salem to-day.

Hon. W. D. Hare, Presidential Elector, is in the city, on his way to Salem where the vote of the State for President will be cast and counted next Wednesday.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

W. T. Shanahan & Co. are to open shortly, at No. 71, First street, a fine assortment of Watches, Jewelry and Silverware, imported direct from Eastern manufacturers. See announcement.

Under the head of new to day will be found the card of Messrs. Hewitt, Wilson & Co., general agents for the Imperial Fire Insurance Company. The Boston losses have been paid and the company remains as secure as ever.

McCormick is out again with his usual holiday announcement. Santa Claus will make his headquarters at McCormick's. Fathers, mothers, sisters, brothers, recollect this when you are making your purchases of toys, books, animals and other articles in McCormick's line.

FINE goods.
Winter clothing.
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DON'T READ THIS.—Be sure to get some of those fine Turkeys, Chickens or Geese now exhibited at W. Auchmuhlen's, Washington Market, and at his branch, No. 146 First street, one door below Taylor, where you will find the most complete assortment of Game, Poultry and Fish.

ASSIST NATURE in her efforts to shake off a cough or cold, or she may revenge herself by giving up the contest. Remember that with *Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar* for an ally, she will exterminate the worst case in a few days. Crittenton's, 7 6th Avenue. Sold by all druggists.

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WEATHER REPORT FOR NOVEMBER.

War Department, Signal Service, U. S. Army, Division of Telegrams and Reports for the benefit of Commerce. Showing the daily and monthly mean of barometer and thermometer; monthly velocity of wind and amount of rainfall, with the prevailing direction of wind for the month of November, 1872.

Date.	Mean Daily Barometer.	Mean Daily Thermometer.	Rainfall.
Novem'r 1	30.010	50 5	.00
2	30.187	49.6	.24
3	30.159	49.2	.00
4	30.245	49.5	.12
5	30.210	53.3	.23
6	30.322	57.2	.10
7	30.387	56.5	.09
8	29.897	45 0	.27
9	30.055	41.8	.31
10	30 102	43 7	.22
11	29.960	50.0	.23
12	30 322	54.8	.17
13	30.512	54.5	.00
14	30.505	50.0	.00
15	30.552	53.3	.00
16	30.445	54.2	.00
17	30.552	54.0	.00
18	30.557	56.6	.00
19	30 517	54 3	.00
20	30.500	57.7	.02
21	30.202	58 8	.03
22	30.242	42.5	.00
23	30 357	35.6	.00
24	30.390	36.8	.00
25	30.210	41.0	.00
26	30.102	39.2	.00
27	30.148	41.0	.00
28	30.027	41.3	.00
29	29.957	42 7	.40
30	30.187	53.5	.00
Monthly Mean	30 243	41 6	
Total Rainfall			4.07
Prevailing Wind, East			
Total Number of Miles Traveled, 3,227.			

J. E. EVANS,
Observer Signal Service, U. S. A.

WHOEVER wishes to purchase Clothing, whether but a single garment for a boy of five or a man advanced in years, can buy to advantage at the manufacturing establishment of Fishel & Roberts. They have an unlimited assortment of goods for the winter trade, made up in the most approved style. Mr. W. H. Utter does the cutting of clothes, which is a sufficient guarantee that the best fitting suits are to be obtained at that house. An examination of their goods will be well worth making.

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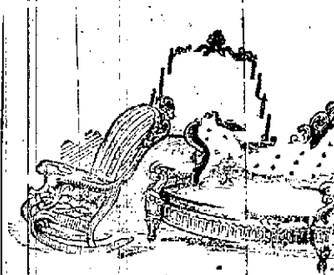
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The Lion and Tiger Trade.

HOW THE MONARCHS OF THE FOREST ARE BOUGHT AND SOLD

In the course of my wanderings around the city, I came, the other day across a monopolist, *par ei simple*. He is a trader on a large scale, but is generally very careful not to handle that live stock in which he deals, nor for that matter, do any of his employes. His business is the importation of every variety of wild beast and bird, from an elephant to a guinea pig, from an ostrich to a Java sparrow. Does the proprietor of a menagerie lose his elephant, he repairs to this gentleman's repository. He states whether he would prefer an African or Asiatic elephant He gives an order according to his fancy, and in due time the animal arrives, and is immediately shipped to wherever his new owner's caravan may happen to be. If an African is wanted, a dispatch is at once sent to Cape Town, if horned horses, giraffes, or rhinoceroses are in demand, orders are at once sent out to New York for all that can be bought or found. The fact is that gentleman has some fifteen employes, who are scattered over Africa and Asia, and whose sole business consists in collecting rare wild animals for him. So complete are all his arrangements that none are found to compete with him in the business. He has the entire trade to himself, and furnishes every menagerie in this country with such animals as they need, from time to time. There are over thirty menageries traveling about the country every year. Every year they lose a certain per centage of their animals from natural death or by accident Some of the more rare animals are naturally delicate, and never become acclimatized, and consequently do not live long. This makes them very costly. Others, again like the giraffe often die of sea-sickness on the voyage. The giraffe, too, is so awkwardly built that it does not lie down with its legs under it like others of the antelope tribe, consequently, if the vessel rolls at sea it loses its balance, is swung against the the side of its cage, and frequently breaks its long unruly neck. This risk runs up the price of giraffes to a high ugure. A year ago a well-known showman, who had imported four giraffes through this gentleman's agency, but who took the sea risk on himself lost them all on the voyage. He could not now get four equally good specimens under $25,000. But when a cargo does come safely across, the profits to the importer are very large.

It is a great mistake to suppose that any of these animals are captured full grown. A full-grown lion could be be trapped and put in a cage, would soon pine away and die. A full-grown wild elephant is the most savagely treacherous of animals. Even when captured young, and trained in a circus, the elephant betrays these inborn qualities more and more as it grows older. It is only of late years that elephants have been imported from Africa. Many persons will recollect P. T. Barnum's advertisement of the first one, a dwarf, which was to appear in his menagerie. The animal however, died on the voyage, and was consequently never seen in this country. Our monopolist dealer in wild beasts soon after obtained four young elephants from Africa and retailed them here to different showmen at about $8,000 apiece. They were "babies." The elephant is an animal of very slow growth. When five years old it does not stand more than three feet high; and of one the four alluded to above was only thirty inches high. They were, however a perfect godsend to the showmen in the way of startling novelties. One, thirty-inch one, was coolly exhibited as a dwarf. Another was shown as the offspring of an old female elephant, which had been in this country years before the youngsters first saw the light in his African jungle. Three of these young elephants are still alive and in this country, but they have grown out of all knowledge, especially the dwarf. The showmen who exhibited the young calf, asserted to have been born here, made a great hit as it is pretty generally known that elephants will not breed in this country. Lions breed freely. In fact, there are few menageries which do not have a litter of cubs every year. But the mothers always destroy or desert them, and they are obliged to be brought up on milk from a bottle, similar to that used in raising babies by hand. The hippopotamus has also been known to breed in the Zoological Gardens, in London. Like the lioness, she destroys her young as soon as they are born, but the attendants in London did once succeed in rescuing a young one from its mother, and in bringing in it up by hand. But animals brought up in this artificial way and born in a confined cage, never grow up to be such fine specimens as those born in a state of nature.

As a general thing, all animals are captured when young by the natives, acting under instructions from the white agents. If lions are wanted, the natives sally up the country and either kill the parents and then secure the cubs, or track the lioness to her den, and then waiting till she goes hunting for food, seize the opportunity of stealing the cubs. In capturing elephants, they drive them, old and young, into an inclosure, hamstring the old ones so as to disable them from protecting their calves, and then easily secure the young ones. An African lion commands a higher price in the market than an Asiatic lion, on account of his more noble and commanding appearance; his mane is much thicker, and longer than that of his Asiatic brother and is black. The quantity and length of the mane is the test of the value of lions an African lionhsells for three thousand dollars an Asiatic only two thousand dollars. The same with tigers. Royal Bengal tigers will commands $6,000 a pair; Brazilian only $4,000 Camels and dromedaries bring about $1,200 a piece, but white camels have been sold at $2,500 each. A good ostrich can be bought for $400, elephants from $6,000 to $8,000; horned horses, so-called, though they are really only a variety of antelope, from $1,500 upward.

The importation of animals is only a branch of the business; but it is, in this case, very extensive, for the last fifteen years the value of the animals imported having averaged over $100,000 a year. Of course, the needs of every menagerie are known; and when one wants to sell a surplus animal or two, or to replace them with finer specimens they are almost invariable sold direct to this gentleman, or through him, on commission, to the proprietors of other menageries. A very fair menagerie may be stocked for $50,000, but some few of the giant shows value their stock of animals at two or three times that figure. The aggregate value of all the wild animals in this country must approximate to 2,500,000. In no other country in the world are there so many kept in confinement. The show business is essentially American, and, as a general thing, is a very profitable one.—*N. Y. Times.*

The Proposed Patent Treaty with Austria.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—Many inventors of the United States have expressed their reluctance to contribute to the Vienna Exposition, for the reason that, owing to the stringent character of the Patent laws of Austria, American patentees would have no remedy against the appropriation of their improvements by persons of other nationalities, without compensation. In order to overcome this difficulty, our Government, yesterday, prepared the project of a treaty or convention between the United States and Austria, in order to secure in this country the right of American inventors to the same extent that Austrian inventors are protected in our country. It is the design to lay this proposition before the Austrian Government at the earliest practicable period, and the telegraph may be used to facilitate the negotiation Should this measure be consummated our Government will propose to the various nations of Europe that some international arrangements be made to secure the rights of inventors of the respective countries under similar circumstances.

The Washington *Chronicle* of Nov. 19th says:

Among the measures of greatest importance which will be brought before Congress this winter will be the bill, reported unanimously by the Committee of Commerce to the House at the last session, known as Mr. Conger's bill for the better protection of emigrants. The Treasury Department, finding that the laws relating to the better protection of emigrants were insufficient, dispatched an agent to Europe and New York, to devise a better system. The results of this journey were embodied in a report and a bill which were both laid before Congress. The bill has been most carefully considered, and is solely designed to secure good treatment and food to emigrants on board ship, and safe, cheap, and speedy transportation on our railways.

A Mechanical Marvel

A German, of Cincinnati, has on exhibition in the window of a jeweller of that city, a complicated piece of mechanism, which he calls "die Lebensuhr" (clock of life). It will be seen, from the following description, that it is truly a mechanical marvel

We see in a glass case, a three-story, steeple shaped clock, four feet wide at the first story, and nine feet high. The movement is placed in the centre of the first story, on four delicate columns, within which swings the unerring pendulum, which is in the significant form of a bee hive Behind the pendulum there is a picture representing mature manhood—a countryman behind his plough. The four corners are carved, and represent the four periods of life—infancy, youth, manhood and age The spades to the right and left of the clock are ornamented with two oil-paintings, representing the spring-time of life (children playing in a garden), and the autumn or end of life (grave-diggers in a cemetery).

The second story consists of two tower like pieces, on the doors of which there are two pictures that represent boyhood and early manhood. In the one alboy is just pushing his little bark away from the shore He stands upright in the boat, and points to the distance, he is about to begin life to paddle his own canoe. In the other a young man, who has already made some progress in life, enters a room in which there is an hourglass, that reminds him of the fleetness of time. On this story there are three guardian angels.

A majesty tower crowns, as third story, the ingenious structure A cock, as a symbol of watchfulness, stands on the top, directly over the portal, which opens in the tower in front On this portal there is a painting which represents the perishableness of earthly things The entire structure is, in appearance, very like an old Gothic castle.

Now, let us see if we can describe the mechanical action of the clock. When it marks the first quarter, the door of the left piece of the second story opens, and we see a child issue from the background, come forward to a little bell, give it one blow, and then disappear. At the second quarter a youth appears, strikes the bell twice, and then disappears. at the third there comes a man in prime, at the fourth we have a tottering old man, leaning on a staff, who strikes the bell four times. Each time the door closes of itself. When the hours are full, the door of the right piece of the second story opens and Death, as a skeleton, scythe in hand, appears and marks the hour by striking a bell. But it is at the twelfth hour that we have the grand spectacle in the representation of the Day of Judgment. Then, when Death has struck three blows on the little bell, the cock on the top of the tower suddenly flaps his wings, and crows in a shrill tone, and, after Death has marked the twelfth hour with his hammer, he crows again twice. Immediately three angels, who stand as guardians in a central position, raise their trumpets with their right hands (in the left they hold swords), and blow a blast toward each of the four quarters of the earth. At the last blast the door of the tower opens and the resurrected children of the earth appear, while the destroying angel sinks out of sight.

The multitude stand for a moment full of awe and wonder, when suddenly, Christ, in all his majesty, descends, surrounded by angels On his left there is an angel who holds the scales of justice, on his right another carries the book of life, which opens to show the Alpha and Omega—the beginning and the end Christ waves his hand and instantly the good among the resurrected are separated from the wicked—the former going to the right the latter to the left. The archangel Michael salutes the good, while, on the other side, stands the devil, radiant with fiendish delight —he can hardly wait for the final sentence of those who fall to him, but, in obedience to the command of the central figure, he withdraws. The figure of Christ raises his hand again, with a threatening mien, and the accursed sink down to the realms of his satanic majesty. Then Christ blesses the chosen few who draw near him. Finally, we hear a cheerful chime of bells, during which Christ rises, surrounded by his angels, until he disappears and the portal closes,

We look with amazement on this exhibition of the mechanic's ingenuity; a complete drama is here represented, without the aid of a human hand. And what excites our admiration still more is the perfection of all the movements; they are steady, calm, and noiseless, with the exception of the threatening gesture of the figure of Christ and the movements of Lucifer, who darts across the scene with lightning rapidity. Of course, the peculiar action of these two figures is intentional on the part of the artist, and adds greatly to the effect.

A Modern Comedy of Errors.

On a retired but pleasant avenue of Manchester, a newly-married couple settled down to housekeeping a short time ago, who, for obvious reasons, shall be called Brown, one of the reasons being because it isn't their name. Mrs. Brown is a very pretty woman, and Mr. Brown is a very jolly, good kind of fellow, and there appeared to be no reason why the lives of this interesting couple should not be one long summer day of happiness. But one day there arose a dark little cloud in their wedded sky, which grew and grew till it culminated in quite a shower, as will be seen hereafter. The single domestic in the Brown family is, or rather was, a fine specimen of octoroon beauty, who may be designated as Jane, for the same reason that her employers are called Brown. Jane had a lover, who is the biggest and blackest of his race. His name may be Tom, he drives a coal cart, and he had a habit of calling on his lady-love in the kitchen by slipping through the area gate, which occasions were no doubt highly enjoyed by the parties concerned. Now little Mrs. Brown had somehow got it into her silly head that her liege lord was altogether too partial to the tropical beauty of the olive-cheeked queen of the kitchen, and she made herself correspondingly miserable about it.

For a long time she nursed her secret misery in silence, while the world, including her husband and Jane, went on the even tenor of its way, and the sky didn't fall, nor any other extraordinary phenomenon come to pass. At last Mrs. B. determined to put an end to her suspense by confirming her worst suspicions, then to go and sleep beneath the cold clods, &c., and she arranged it in this way Her husband was accustomed to return to the conjugal nest at about twilight in the evening, and she was sure that he would seek the partner of his guilt in the kitchen at that time, so she had a little plan to detect him in his inconstancy, wither him with her righteous wrath, and then leave him forever. With this determination, near the above mentioned time she descended to the lower regions, sent the supposed domestic sphen out on some domestic errand, and took up a waiting position with her head screened by a window curtain, so that the false one should not recognize her till too late for excuse. She had not long to wait. Very soon she heard the well-known footstep stealthily but hurriedly coming up the alley, then the latch raised and the intruder entered. She heard him cross the room. She felt his arm sliding around and clasping her waist; she held her breath, for the culmination of her worst fears, the proof of her strongest suspicions were within her grasp.

The arm drew her yielding and almost fainting form to the manly, palpitating bosom of its owner, and the lips of the owner of the arm imprinted a resounding kiss upon her own Then for the first time she faced her embracer and beheld her—no, not her husband, but—shades of all the amendments!—the staring eyes, perplexed and astounded countenance of that sooty son of Ham, Tom, the coal cart driver and lover of the suspected flicker of Mrs. B's conjugal treasure. The scene that ensued may be imagined, but cannot be described There was a series of screams, and a rapid disappearance of No 13 brogans through the door. The confusion brought Brown down from the parlor, where he had been impatiently waiting for his little wife instead of philandering with the cook. There was a shower of tears, and a confession and a discharge of the handsome octoroon, and thorough understanding that the affair was never to be mentioned, and that they are to live happy in the future

The Washington *Chronicle* says As was to be expected, the reported decision of the President in relation to the Philadelphia postmaster is exciting a great variety of comments So far as the Republican press is concerned there seems to be a general approval.

A coal mine has been found in Tehama county, California, near the railroad, the vein being eight feet wide The coal has been tested and found to burn well.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

MONDAY EVENING, Dec 2, 1872.

Gold in New York to-day, 112⅞

Portland Legal Tender rates, 88@ buying; 89@ selling.

Wheat in Liverpool—Average, 12s 5d@12s 6d. Club, 12s 6d@12s 9d

A Paying Business.

During the enormous freight charges now prevailing, the ship owners have indeed exceedingly prosperous times. The San Francisco Alta, November 20th says it is stated that the ship *James Foster*, 1,127 tons, now on the berth in New York for San Francisco, to Peter Hawkes & Co., was recently chartered from New York to San Francisco, thence to Liverpool and back to New York at the handsome sum of $90 000 for the round trip —or about double what the ship is worth at a fair valuation After all disbursements, it she meet with no better it is probable that this ship will more than pay for herself on a voyage that, with favorable circumstances, should occupy something less than a year.

The British *Colonist* in reporting the sale of the *Spero-chinde* at Victoria, says the bidding was lively, but the price finally fell to Moses Gutfirt & Mackay, of Portland, Oregon, for whom Sprout & Co bid $20,000. The next highest bid ($19 000) was by Bate, manager of the Vancouver Coal Mining Company's business in this Province. The new owners intend turning the ship into a sealing vessel, and loading her with wheat for England It is expected that her first cargo will return the purchase money paid for her

Home Produce Market

WHEAT—We learn that the farmers are still holding back for higher figures and that some purchasers are offering an advance, and that the consequence is a degree of anticipation existing which has not been before observed San Francisco telegrams report the Liverpool market at 12s 6d for average lots We cannot change the figures given last week, which were $1 45 per cental, though the market is moved by a feeling of uncertainty, and purchasers as well as sellers seem to be chary of speculations

FLOUR—There is quite a demand for the markets to the north, where some of our most profitable shipments have been made this season The steamer now in port for the Sound will carry a considerable lot We quote standard brands at $5, choice country, $4 25@4 75; superfine and outside, $3 75@4

OATS—The San Francisco market is quoted active, and the figures are reported at $2 00@2 12½ per hundred lbs. Our inquiries quotations are $1 62½ for choice with a good demand for local consumption and to fill orders now on hand for Sound ports and San Francisco.

BARLEY—The demand for good brewing is quoted active in California with a limit in the amount offering at $1 40 There has been but little done in this cereal this season so far with us, and our quotations are nominal.

HAY is in good demand, and our former figures are firmly maintained.

FEED is in the market quite equal to the demand, with rates firm at our last quotations.

POTATOES—The supply is good and prices seem dull. Our quotations are 75@$1 00 ₱ hundred for good

BUTTER—There is an ample supply of common at a low figure, while the demand is good for choice roll for table use at 45c ₱ lb.

APPLES—The receipts are fair and prices well maintained Very few are being shipped this season. The quality generally offering is poor

WOOL—But little doing in our market, buyers would find big little offered at any prices. The San Francisco trade is a little excited with an advance of 5c@10c ₱ lb

Shipping Intelligence.

The American ship *Senate* has completed her cargo and will be ready to put to sea by the middle of the week.

The bark *Free Trade*, from San Francisco, reached her wharf yesterday

The steamship *California*, from Puget Sound and Victoria, arrived last night. She was detained by storms two days at Neah Bay, Straits of Fuca

The steamer *John L. Stephens* has been detained two days at San Francisco by the heavy fogs on the bar, and sailed thence for this port this P. M. at 4 o'clock, with passengers and freight.

The steamship *Gen. S. Wright*, for Sitka and way ports, advertised to sail hence this evening, is detained till tomorrow morning.

The dispatches to-day announce the sailing of the *Adelaide Cooper* from San Francisco for Port Ludlow, W. T.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 2—Arrived—German bark *Hugo & Otto*, from Calao, in ballast, Moore Bros; bark Hansen, Liverpool, merchandise to Rodgers, Myer & Co; ship *Iron Duke*, Newcastle, coal, Dickson DeWolf; schr *Leolitta*, Fort Townsend; whaling bark *Barnet*.

Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Flour—Extra jobbing $5@$6 37½.

Wheat—Choice $1 67½@1 70.

Barley—Quiet, $1 30@1 45.

Oats—$2@2 12½.

Potatoes—$1 20@1 45

Apples—40c@$1 25.

General Merchandise.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Plows — Moline, 10 to 14 inch cut, $10@17 50, Peoria 10 to 14 inch cut, $11@16 50; Collin's 12 and 13, $19; Collin's Cast Cast-steel, $16 50@20. Grain Drills—Buckeye, 9 and 10 hoe, $120@125; do with broad cast attachment, $5 extra. Chittenden—Two-horse 9 tooth, $22 Buckeye broadcast Seeder and Cultivator, $10. Older Mills—Buckeye, two tubs, junior, $30@32 50, do, Sender, $50@60, Hutchinson's $27 50. Farm Wagons—$145@190 Harrow tooth, 12c ₱ lb

BAGS AND BAGGING—Quotable for standard size, 19@20c as per quality and quantity, Flour Sacks, 11½c; Burlap per yard, 14@15c.

BUILDING MATERIAL—Local demand dull at prices ranging, for rough lumber, $12@14, dressed, $12 @20, flooring, $24@28, lath, $3 per M, shingles, $2 65, Eastern hardwood, 17½@20c per foot.

BROOMS—Common, $3@5 ₱ dozen; extra, $4@7

CANNED GOODS—Oysters $3 00@4, Jams and Jellies $4 50. Los Angeles Honey, $1 50; Strawberries, $1 75; Raspberries, $4 75; Blackberries $4 00; Pine Apple, $3 00, Green Gages, $3 75@4; Peaches, $4 25@4 50; Pie Fruit, $3@3 50; Green Peas, $3 50; Beans, $1 50, Lobsters, $3 50@3 75; Clams, $4, Green Corn, $3@3 25, Tomatoes, $2 25.

COFFEE—Market well sustained at the following prices: Costa Rica and Guatemala, 20¾@21c; Rio and Manilla, 20¾@21c; Java, 26@27c. J. F. Jones & Co's Ground Java, 27½c, Chartres, 26c; Phoenix Premium, 25@26c.

CANDLES—We quote market firm at 17@22c, full weight, light weight 16c.

CEMENT, &c.—New Jersey, $6; Astoria, $4 50; California Plaster, $5, Land Plaster, $4 50; Santa Cruz Lime, $2 75, San Juan Lime, $2 75

DRUGS—Quotable in jobbing lots for Alum, bbls, 6c; Borax, 36@37, Blue Vitrol, 12½@13c; Epsom Grnalt, 1½ cent., 8c, $2 25, Rosin, ½ bbl, $12 ½, Saltpetre, kegs, 18@20c; Sulphur, $8@10.

DRY GOODS—Standard drills, 15@16 cts; seconds, 13c; Sheetings, light, 11½c; medium, 12½c, standard, 14@ 15½c; brown linings, 9½c; Bleached sheeting, 9½, 9@10½c; 4-4, 13½c; do, 4-4, 12½@13c, cotton checks, 12½@13c; ticks, checks, 18@20c; canabrics, 10c Cotton flannel, bleached, 10½c, do, brown, 12½@18c. Cottonades, light, 20c@25c; heavy, 25@45c. Denims, 15@30c. Corkscrew stripes, 11½@12c, Standard prints, 11c; seconds, 10c. Ticks, Belmont, 18@20c. Linseys, 20@30c Thibets, 12½@30c; do, 4-4, 20@30c Bear duck, 25c. Table linen, damask, brown, 35c@65c; damask bleached, 50c@$1. Diaper linen, 30@37½c Sacks, counters, 35@40c Napkins, black, 25@50c Waterproof, $1 50@1 75. Cloth 12@15c. Gingham—Domestic, 10c@20c, Scotch, 22½@30c. Lawns, 10@17 Percales, 25@30

FRUITS (dried) AND PRESERVES—Apples, 7@7½c, packed, 8@9½c; Peaches, 12½@13½; Huagwine Prunes, 10c, Plums, pitted, 20@22c, Raisins, new crop, in bxs, $4 50; bf do, $5 50; quarter $6, eighth boxes, $7, Zante Currants, 14c; Oregon do 16@17c; Citron, 55@60c.

FISH—Cod, Pa 10c, 6¾@8c; Bonless, 10c, Mackerel, No 1, ½ bl bbl, $11 00, do No 2 $9 00, do kits, No 1, $3 00, do No 2, $2 75; Salmon—pickled in bbls, $16 00, do bf bbl, $8 50@9 00, do ½ bbl, $4 50@5 00, do kits, $2 50@3 00; Salmon brands, bf bbls, $4 00@4 25; bbls, $6 50@7 00 Canned spiced, fresh, 2-lb cans, $1 00 per doz; 1 lb, $2 25; Sardines, qrs, $3 25, kits, 50.

LIQUORS—Market quotable for Bourbon whisky $2 25 @5 bll, Rye do, $2 00@4, Domes tic, $1 50@2 Brandy—French brands, $4@12, American mixed, $2@4, Common, $1 00@2 Gin—Holland, $3 00@6; Old Tom, $2@3 00 Rum—Penn, $3 00@5, Santa Cruz, $3 00@4 50; New England, $2@2 50

METALS—Market for jobbing lots for Iron—Scotch and English pig reported in San Francisco $35, refined bar, 3 lb, 6½c, Sheet 14 to 20, 9½c, do 24 to 27 10c Copper—Sheathing, ₱ lb, 42c; do Yellow, 36c, do bronzed tinned, 45c; do old, 18c. Tin plate—Plates charcoal, IX per box, $10 50, do IC, $9 50, Roofing Plates, $17, Banca Tin slabs ₱ lb, 62½c. Steel—English cast steel ₱ lb 14c. Lead—Pig ₱ lb 8a 10c, Sheet 15c; Pipe 12 Bar 12@12½c. Zinc—Sheets ₱ lb 13c. Babbit metal, 30@40. Quicksilver, 65c [Prices of wares have advanced 25@50 ₱c.

NAILS—Quotable 10 to 60d per keg, $7, 8d 25c per keg advance; 6d, 50c per keg advance, 4d and 5d, 75c per keg advance, cut spikes, 50c per keg advance on the price of 10d, fence, 25c per keg advance on same also cut common nails, flushing and headheads, 50c per keg advance on same list of common nails, box nails 50c per keg advance on same size common nails

NUTS—Almonds, 25@30c. Brazil, 20c; Filberts, 20c, Hickory, 20, Peanut, 10c, Pecan 25c, Walnuts, 15c.

OILS.—Wagners per market in jobbing lots for Lucena—Extra No 1 Olive, Bowmer's, 12½@55c; Gunlight 42½c, Fir, China Nut, 92½@97½, Lard, in tubs, extra, $1 37, No 1 $1 10, in barrels, extra, $1 10, No 1, $1, Castor, $1 75@1 80, Machine, 35c@$1 15, Linseed, $1 15@1 20 for Salem.

PAINTS—We quote market in jobbing lots for Averill's chemical per gal, $2 75, Atlantic, 13½@14, Bartlett, 11 @12, North River, 11, Greenback, 10½, French zinc white, 20, Devoe's zinc white, 12, lamp black, Lampblack, 50 @60; Germantown, 40@50, ordinary, 25@30 Venetian red, 6@8, Harve Ochre, 5@7; red lead, 12½@13, litharge, 13@14, fire proof, 5@6 cent

RICE—China, 7½@8c; Patna, 8c; Island, 10c, Carolina, 12½c

ROPE—Market firm at 20c ₱ lb in jobbing lots.

SALT—Ground Rock, $17 ₱ ton; Carmen Island, $20 @22½; Liverpool coarse, $20, fine, $30@37 50.

SALERATUS—Barton's, 8½@9c; Donnelly's, 8½@9c; Babbitt's 10@10½c.

SUGARS—The market is very firm for Island at 8½@9 11½c; Yellow and Golden C. in bbls, 12@ 12½c, in bf bbls ½c higher; Crushed, 14c in bbls; 1 bf bbl 14½c; Powdered 13¾@14½c.

SPICES—Pepper and Allspice, in grain 20c; Cinnamon 45@50c; Cloves, 35@30c; Nutmegs, $1 20@1 25. Spices in ground—Pepper, Ginger and Allspice, $1 50 ₱ box; Cinnamon, $2; Mustard $1 75.

STARCH—The agents' rates, with the usual discount off to the trade are for Pearl, 9½c, pure, 12-lb boxes 10½c; 1-lb papers, 11½c; silver glass, 6-lb boxes, 12½c, 1-lb papers, 14c, corn, 7 lb papers, 10c.

SYRUP—A fair demand exists at prices ranging from, in kegs, 60@62½c, bf bbls, 55@65c; bbls, 70@62½c

SODA—Quotable firm for R. Irving & Co's in jobbing lots at 10@7½c.

TEAS—Stocks on hand good, with demand dull at the following ranges young hyson, 60@$1 10 per lb, black, 50@$1 per lb, Japan, in papers, 50@62½c per lb, lacquered box, 65c to 80c.

TURPENTINE—Quotable at $1 15@1 20 ₱ gal

WOOLEN GOODS—We quote agents' rates as follows (the first 6 per bale, last for less) For Blankets (families) A $10, B $11 50, C $11 50, E $10 50, F, $9 50 G, $9 50, other descriptions 4 to 6 per cent. Flannels 1 yd 37 @62½ 2-4, 1 pt black border drop, $5 50@6 75, 4 pt scarlet, $12 50 @15, 3 pt $9 50@12 2 4 pt Green, $10 50@13 75, 3 pt $6@7 50, 4 pt Blue, $10 50@13 75, 4 pt scarlet, $12 50 @15, 3 pt $9 50@12 2 4 pt Green, $10 50@13 75, 3 pt $6@7 50, 4 pt Blue, $10 50@13 75, 4 pt scarlet, $12 50 @15, 3 pt $9 50@12 2 4 pt Green, $10 50@13 75, 3 pt $6@7 50, 4 pt Blue, $10 50@13 75, $6@8 2-4, No 2 Indian, $9@8 25 Flannel Clothing for 10 dozen (first

Retail Family Market

The following are the prices at which the principal articles of consumption are held by our Retail Dealers

GREEN FRUITS	
Oranges, per doz.	1 00
Limes, per doz.	10
Cocoanuts, each	10
Cala Grapes, ₱ lb	2½
Cranberries, ₱ gal	75
Lemons, per doz	75@1 00
Peaches, ₱ lb	
Plums, ₱ lb	

DRIED FRUIT.	₱ lb
Figs, Cal	15@20
Fig, Asia Min, new	20@25
Apricots, " old	22@25
Apples	10
Plums, pitted	20@25
Prunes, Oregon & French	20@25
Pears	8@10

UNCOCOANUTS.	₱ lb
Coffee, ground	35@37
do gold ₱ lb	22@22
do " Rio	20
do " Java	28@30
do Mocha	50
Sugar, crushed	16
do pulverized	16
do granulated	15
do Yellow	14
do Island No 1	13@14
do " No 2	9@10
Milk, condensed	
Candles, adamantine	20@25
do Paraffine	33@37
do Sperm	62
Oil, Kerosene ₱ gal	75
Syrup, Golden, ₱ gal	75
Tea—	₱ lb.
Gunpowder	$1 25@1 50
Imperial	1 25@1 50
Young Hyson	1 00@1 25
Hyson	1 00@1 25
Eng. Breakfast	90@1 25
Japan	75@ 90

PROVISIONS, ETC.	₱ lb.
Butter—	
Fancy Dairy	50
Good	40@45
Ordinary	25@30
Cooking	20
Cheese, California	25
do Eastern	25
do Oregon	25
Hams, country	16
do	20@22
do Sugar-cured	20@25
Shoulders	14@15
Bacon, Dressed sides	14@16
do Breakfast	18@17
Lard—	
Pure Leaf, in tins	16@18
Good, in tins	15
In bbls	15
Honey, Yellow Comb	25
do White	37
Eggs, per doz	45@50

BREADSTUFFS.	₱ sack
Flour—	
Fancy brands	1 87
Choice	1 25
Dominion	1 02
Graham, extra	1 37
Corn meal, Cal ₱ lb	4@5
do Oregon	4@5

POULTRY.	₱ pair
Hens, grown	$1 00@1 25
Roosters, "	1 25
Spring chickens	1 00
Ducks, tame	1 50
Geese, "	3 00
Turkeys	3 00

MEATS.	₱ lb.
Beef	10@12
do choice cuts	18@25
Mutton	12@15
do choice cuts	20
Veal	12@20
Pork	12@15
do choice cuts	20

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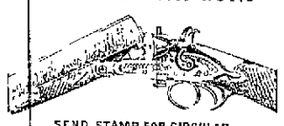

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A Card to the Public.

Having learned that Dr H RESSER has located himself in Portland, I deem it my duty to the public, and more particularly those persons who may be afflicted as I have been. After leaving Portland, a few months ago, I became afflict d with Epileptic Fits, and after having tried and consulted several distinguished physicians, without any benefit whatever, I was advised to call on Dr. H. RESSER, who happened to be visiting Virginia City at the time on professional business. I lost no time in placing myself under the care of DR. RESSER, and am now restored to perfect health. I can most highly recommend DR RESSER to those who may be equally afflicted. FREDERICK FORNER.

Other Testimony.

MR. EDITOR I saw in your last issue of the *Press* a card written by Mr Hobinson, and I deem it my duty also to make a similar statement, for the benefit of those who are troubled with disease of the lungs. Three years ago I commenced under the treatment of some of the most skillful physicians of the Atlantic States, who pronounced my case incurable. After leaving home I started with them about two years, with but little benefit, I was advised a change of climate, which I made, and came to Santa Barbara about a year ago, with the hopes of a speedy recovery, but could not see that the change had been what I anticipated, until a month since I commenced under the treatment of Dr RESSER, and have improved in health very much in that time, and am confident in a short time I will be restored to perfect health under his treatment. I cordially recommend DR. RESSER to the public

Santa Barbara, June 21, 1871. M. L. REYNOLDS.

Card.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL, Santa Barbara, Cal. May 25, 1871.

I consider it my duty to Resser's public to make the following statement, hoping that some unfortunate invalid may be benefited by it. Having been sick for some time with lung disease (or consumption) I applied to many physicians in San Francisco and other places, under whose treatment I found no relief. A short time since I met Dr Resser here in Santa Barbara, and knowing of some of the wonderful cures he has made in different parts of the State, I put myself under his treatment, and commenced to improve immediately. I can warmly recommend Dr. Resser to all who are afflicted with this dreadful disease, as he makes the lung and liver disease his specialty

ELIJAH ROBINSON.

Card.

It is well known here that I have been under the doctors' care for the last twelve months in San Francisco and here, but could receive no benefit from any one. When Dr. Resser arrived here, a short time ago, I put myself under his treatment, and commenced to improve immediately, and I am confident that in a short time I shall be restored to my health again. I can highly recommend Dr. Resser to the public

COLEMAN O'DONNEL.

Virginia City, Oct. 16, 1872

Card.

To remove all doubt from the public mind in relation to a question which has created some dispute in San Jose, I feel it my duty to make the following public statement of facts. It is well known that my wife was very low with consumption—so low, in fact, I had given up all hope of her recovery I called on Dr H RESSER, who makes consumption his specialty, and in two weeks time my wife's health had so improved that she was able to walk out, and for the last three weeks has been on a visit to San